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SOCIAL CORNER POEM.

To a Lady Knitting.

Little woman, hourly sitting,
Something for a soldier knitting,
What in fancy can you see?
Thou' the stitch that now you're making
I bemoan a bullet breaking;
I can see some soldier lying
In that garment slowly dying.
O'er him your wool shall cover,
In your fingers turns to red,
Gray today; perhaps tomorrow
Crisscrossed by the blood of sorrow.

It may be some hero daring
That that very thing he wears
When he ventures forth to give
Life that other men may live.
He may braver wield the saber
As a tribute to your art,
And for that, which you have knitted,
Better for his task be fitted.

When the thread has left your finger
Something of yourself may linger,
Something of your lovely beauty
May sustain him in his duty.

Someone's boy that was a baby
Soon shall wear it, and it may be
He shall write and tell his mother
Of the kindness of another.

And he shall say, "I thank you,
And her prayers at night shall bless
You."
You may never know its story,
Cannot know the grief or glory
That are destined now and hover
O'er him, your wool shall cover,
Now what spirit shall invade it
Once your gentle hands have made it.

Little woman hourly sitting,
Something for a soldier knitting,
"Tis no common garb you're making,
These no common pairs you're taking.

Something lovely, holy fingers
O'er the needles and your fingers
And with every stitch you're weaving
Something of yourself you're leaving.

From your gentle hands and tender
These may come a nation's splendor
And from this, your simple duty
Lifes may in a fairer be.

—Anon.

INQUIRIES AND ANSWERS.

MEMORY: Card received and forwarded to Sperry Bird.

RECIPES FOR YOU.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: The following recipes are just as good as they look.

Bread Milk Griddle Cakes: One pint milk, salt, one teaspoon soda, one egg and flour to make a batter. Fry in a little fat. Serve with butter and sugar or syrup.

Bran Biscuits: One egg, one-fourth cup sugar, one tablespoon molasses, one-half teaspoon salt, one cup milk, one and one-half cups flour, one cup bran, one teaspoon soda dissolved in a little hot water.

Bran Bread Without Yeast: Three cups bran, one cup Graham flour, two cups flour, one teaspoon salt, one-quarter cup molasses, two cups butter, one cup sugar, one cup milk, one cup bran, one teaspoon soda dissolved in a little hot water.

Luscious Dressing: Cream three tablespoons of grated cheese with a little French mustard and butter; spread this on rounds of bread (brown) and place in the oven until the cheese is melted. Lay a poached egg on each slice and serve very hot.

One Egg Jelly Roll: One cup sugar, one and one-half cups flour, two level teaspoons of baking powder, pinch of salt. Sift all these together two or three times. Add four eggs, one at a time, beating well once before measuring. Stir in one well-beaten egg and six tablespoons of hot water. Roll up and bake in pan about 7-12x10 in. Bake moderately about 12 or 15 minutes. Trim edges, spread with jelly and roll while hot or it will crack. Roll waxed paper, sprinkled with powdered sugar.

HANNAH WHO.

WHEAT CONSERVATION RECIPES

Dear Editor of the Social Corner: Herewith I send a few tested recipes.

Rice Bread: One pint of flour, one-half pint of boiled rice, two eggs, one tablespoon butter, and milk enough to make thick batter; bake in shallow tin.

Baked Indian Bread: Four cups Indian meal, two cups cannelini, one cup wheat flour, one good cup molasses, one tablespoon saleratus, one teaspoon salt, bake slowly in a buttered baking pan. It should be mixed quite thick with milk or water.

Corn Bread: One cup yellow cornmeal, one cup sugar, one cup milk, one cup molasses, one cup corn, one cup wheat flour, one cup bran, one teaspoon salt, one cup water. Bake in the oven for a half hour.

FARMER'S DAUGHTER.

SOCIAL CORNER PARTY OCT. 17.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: Mrs. Frank Lathrop of Bohrah will entertain the members of the Social Corner at her home on Bohrah street, Wednesday, Oct. 17, at 7 o'clock, and if not the next day. Every member will be welcome and visitors, also. Those who care to drive should come to Fitchville and turn to the left at the Baptist church and thence go straight ahead till they come to the big stone house when the colors will do the rest.

Anyone who cares to come can to Yantic on the trolley, and Mr. Pillar the itinerant man, will bring a load of four out and come after them for \$2, making fifty cents apiece the round trip. Bring the same as a gift.

MRS. T. L. LATHROP.

Yantic.

take off one and knit one, and slip over the other stitch. Now put in your second strand and knit 1 in the round; then your original shade 3 times. Repeat this until you have knit 3 stripes. You want to narrow until you have 48 stitches on one needle, and 24 on the other; then knit around 11 times; put in your stripes at the top; crochet on a top by making a chain of four, and catching it in every second stripe. Crochet 7 flowers in each band, and then make a chain of the two colors to run in the top of the shoe; make balls out of round pasteboards about 1-2 inches in diameter, and form a hole in the center; fill in with material, cut apart and tie in center; have off to look even and tie on end of cord.

ETHEL VLYN.

AUNT NO. 1'S PICNIC.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: Just a few words about a Social Corner picnic I went to recently. October 3d was an ideal day for the picnic. The weather was just what the Sisters and their friends needed to have a good time. We were among the first to arrive about 10 o'clock. In a little while the truck from Willamantic came with fourteen. I think, and from then on there was a steady stream of folks coming in all directions, some in automobiles, some with horse and wagon and some on foot.

The party seemed to consist of women and children. What a number of children there was. A regular baby show. Where were the brothers? Most everyone took a walk around the grounds, and there were beautiful flowers in bloom. They were through the arbor and walk back to the spring, stoned up with the seats in the picnic grounds where one might rest.

There was a pond with a small island and a walk across it. About noon we were invited to be seated for dinner and what a dinner it was. The food was just what was needed. It tasted even better than it looked, with baked beans and a potato salad. I took a napkin and spoon to the picnic to find their owners, but I had such a good time I neglected to mention them. Coffee, which was served, was a real treat. You are a real brave mother, and just the one we need now. You are helping me.

BEST WISHES TO ALL.

PRISCILLA I. HAD A GOOD TIME.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: It is some time since I have written, but I had such a splendid time at Aunt No. 1's I want to write a "Thank you."

Everyone was as jolly as ever, and our goodies tasted fine after our delightful walk through the garden. "Memory" gave me a real pretty pink rose that day, and it has lasted for a long time.

Oh, yes, I tried my luck at knitting! It takes me sometime to knit, even a washcloth, and I was very busy. I took a napkin and spoon to the picnic to find their owners, but I had such a good time I neglected to mention them. Coffee, which was served, was a real treat. You are a real brave mother, and just the one we need now. You are helping me.

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OWNERSHIP OF PROPERTY CALLED FOR.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: I wish to thank all who helped in any way to make our picnic a success. We certainly had a very good time. But we missed the old attendants who were absent.

I find three plates, three napkins and two towels left here. If I know the owners I should return them if possible.

Diana: Your letter received, and I am glad you can be present in mind if not in person. I will try to answer your letter as soon as I can.

I wonder if the mistake made in Great Grandma's birthday wasn't intentional. "Grandma" was the first of Grandma's birthday falls on May 16. Thanking you all again for your assistance, I am as ever,

AUNT NO. 1.

GREAT GRANDMA'S GREETING.

Dear Social Corner Editor: It was my privilege to be present at Aunt No. 1's gathering. The "Thank you" did not respond to her invitation. I know they would have enjoyed it and added to the pleasure of the picnic.

As I looked over the picnic place representing so many different homes, the word "Home" seemed a precious word. It was the first of Grandma's birthday falls on May 16. Thanking you all again for your assistance, I am as ever,

L. M. B.

TESTED RECIPES.

Dear Social Corner Sisters—I here enclose a few tested recipes:

Lady Fingers: Beat 6 egg whites very stiff, add 2-3 cup powdered sugar, 1 egg yolk, 1 teaspoon parella, and mixed with 2-3 cup flour sifted with 1-2 teaspoon salt. Press through pastry tube on buttered wax paper in narrow finger lengths, dust with powdered sugar, and bake in a slow oven.

Cruellers, French Style: Cook together 1 cup hot water, 1-2 cups sugar, 1 teaspoon orange rind, and 1-4 cup butter. When boiling add 1 cup flour and cook until very thick. Turn into a bowl and add beating constantly, 3 eggs, 1 at a time. Drop from a spoon into hot fat. Roll in minced almonds, mixed with finely powdered sugar, and bake in a slow oven.

Nut Bars: Mix 1 cup brown sugar with 1 egg, 1 cup American walnut, 1-2 cups raisins, 1-2 cups flour, 1-4 teaspoon soda dissolved in 1 tablespoon hot water, and 2 tablespoons of flour. Bake and cut in bars.

Old Fashioned Jumbles: One pound flour, 1-3 pound butter, 4 yolks of eggs, 2 whites of eggs, beaten light; 1-3 pound sugar. Mix; roll out very thin on a board covered with granulated sugar; cut in rounds and bake in a slow oven.

Old Fashioned Apple Pudding: Four large tart apples, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon, 1 teaspoon salt, 4 ounces sugar, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 cup flour, 4 eggs. Peel and chop the apples; mix with the milk, cinnamon, and nutmeg; then stir in the whites carefully. Mix; add the well-beaten eggs, and cook for 3 hours. Serve hot, with custard, wine, or lemon sauce.

Apple Cheese Cakes (English): One cup sugar, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 cup flour, 1-4 teaspoon soda dissolved in 1 tablespoon hot water, and 2 tablespoons of flour. Bake and cut in bars.

HEZ HARMONY.

HOW HEZ FEELS.

There was no use, Hope would not show any regard for Pop, so I thought I would wake her up by saying something serious for myself and see how she felt.

The next evening while reading the paper I thought it a good time to try her. So I read aloud to her a thrilling tale of a cowboy and his adventures. He was a cowboy to be delegated to go to Berlin in disguise and make an end of about a half dozen of the Von Tirpitzes and their henchmen.

"By George, Hope, how my blood boiled! I should have been a cowboy to be delegated to go to Berlin in disguise and make an end of about a half dozen of the Von Tirpitzes and their henchmen."

"Hez, you are just like about nine-tenths of the men. You like to hear yourself talk and don't know it. Nobody and no one can tell you a lie, and who are picturing in words what they should like to do. Hez, men who do not do much talking about it. Hez, it is cheap, and getting cheaper; and it is about the only thing that is cheapening. You go to Boston and out the Van Tirpitz! You better go and hoe potatoes. That's nearer home."

HEZ HARMONY.

TO MAKE PICKLES.

Dear Social Corner Sisters:—I here enclose pickle recipes:

Indian Pickles: One head of cabbage, cauliflower, radish-pods, string-beans, sherkins, small white onions, 1-4 pound ground mustard, nasturtiums, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cups vinegar, 6 cloves of garlic, 12 shallots, 2 sticks horse-radish, 1 ounce turmeric, 1-4 pound ginger-root, 1 ounce black peppers, 1 ounce whole allspice, 12 cloves, 1-4 ounce cayenne, 2 ounces mustard seed. Slice a firm white cabbage, divide the slices into 6 clove cauliflower, sprinkle salt over them in a large dish, or wooden tub, and set aside for 24 hours. Drain and pour over them the vinegar should cover the vegetables well. When cold, cover the jar.

As the vegetables stand in season, they may be added to the jar. They must first be washed in cold vinegar, wiped, and then simply added to the other ingredients in the jar, only taking care that they are covered by the vinegar. They should be covered with a required, do not fail to tell it before adding to the rest. When all the vegetables are in the jar, add the contents of the jar into a large tub.

Pickled Nasturtiums: Have jars partly filled with salted vinegar, and like the sister who reported, wash and dry them and throw them into the

vinegar; always being careful that the vinegar covers the nasturtiums. This pickled nasturtium pods, with vinegar and after three weeks use for salads.

J. L. B.

Black Pickle: One peck green tomatos, 10 pounds ground mustard, 10 pounds sugar, 10 pounds vinegar, 10 pounds allspice, 2 ounces dry mustard. Throw the salt over the sliced tomatos; let them stand over night. In the morning, squeeze out the salt, and put the tomatos in the kettle. Rub the spices, together in a bowl. Sprinkle them over the tomatos. Add the vinegar, and let all boil for five hours, stirring frequently to avoid burning. Put the pickles in jars. Let the vinegar cover the pickles, and seal the jars. It will keep for years (if allowed to).

SOMETHING YOU MAY KNOW.

Dear Social Corner Sisters: The "cold molasses" effect in jelly is caused by too much boiling after sugar is added to fruit juice. Strain and measure your juice and return to the kettle under the lid for 15 minutes have the required amount of sugar in large shallow pan heating in water bath. Stir the jelly into boiling juice, stir until dissolved. At this point beware of the temptation to boil just a little longer. Let bubble up and put at once in hot glasses. This way of jelly making preserves both color and delicate flavor. Some jelly makers dispense with any further boiling after sugar is added and dissolved.

The dweller in a small apartment who has no room for a window box, may find an outside window box useful in winter. Let bubble up and put at once in hot glasses. This way of jelly making preserves both color and delicate flavor. Some jelly makers dispense with any further boiling after sugar is added and dissolved.

A short curtain will conceal it from the room. Such a box is a great convenience. If you cannot afford to have one constructed, then use an ordinary light box. The box should be made of wood, and set it up on brackets just even with the sill of the window. The box should have a tight-fitting lid.

CLEMENTINE.

FRIED SAUCES AND PRESERVES.
Clarified Apples: One cup water, six large tart apples, two cups sugar, one-half lemon.

Way of Preparing: Make a syrup of the sugar and water. Peel and core the apples, cut each in six pieces and cook in the hot syrup until clear. Remove from the syrup and place in a glass dish. When all the apples are cooked add the lemon rind and juice to the syrup. Boil it until thick, remove the lemon rind and pour over the apples.

In peeling the apples, peel and cook both as a time as you wish them to be very light yellow in color. If the apples are crowded in the kettle they will become dark. If they are allowed to stand after peeling, they will turn dark.

Ginger Peas: One quart preserved ginger, 1/2 cup of five almonds, rind of five lemons, eight pounds peas, six sugar, two oranges, hot water.

Way of Preparing: Cut the ginger in small pieces, and add the lemon rind and oranges and cut rind into shreds. Peel the peas and cut them crosswise in the shreds. Add the almonds to the sugar to dissolve the latter. When hot add the lemon juice, orange juice, ginger, lemon rind, and peas. Cook slowly three hours. Place in pint fruit jars and seal. Keep in cool, dry place.

EASTER LILY.

MEMORIES.
Dear Sisters of the Social Corner:—At the recent opening of the public schools, most of us, mothers especially, are apt to look back to those early days of ours, when for the first time, we too, began our school life. I think the picture of childhood are indelibly impressed upon our minds, not to be easily forgotten.

Although the methods of instruction in our young days were not as attractive as at the present time, yet we enjoyed it, and our interest increased as the years passed along. None of us can say it was all a sunny-side, for often we made our school days a time of sorrow. We were often misjudged by our teachers, which we endured with silence, yet they were valuable lessons to us, for later years.

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CAKE RECIPES.

Dear Social Corner Editor: Have you read the Social Corner? I enclose two cake recipes: One cup sugar, one cup molasses, one cup lard of butter, one egg, one cup coffee, all kinds of raisins, five cups of flour, salt, half teaspoon soda and one of baking powder.

We are sure looking for recipes that don't take many eggs and will send more if you have room.

LONG HILL.

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